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In re Application of)

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1. Transmittal Letter (2 pgs.) in duplicate;
2. Substitute Amendment and Response Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.111 and 1.115 (___ pgs.) with enclosures: Hawley's Condensed Chemical Dictionary, 1987 and prior certified translation;

3. 1-Month Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 CFR 1.136(a)- Small Entity (1 pg.)
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Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.111 AND 1.115

Sir:

APPLICANTS HAVE RECEIVED THE OFFICIAL ACTION DATED JANUARY 2, 2001 STATING THAT APPLICANTS HAVE FILED A RESPONSE MAILED OCTOBER 16, 2000 WAS NOT CONSIDERED TO BE RESPONSIVE. THE POINTS RAISED BY THE EXAMINER NOW RESPONDED AND RESPONSIVE. APPLICANTS NOW SUBMIT A SUBSTITUTE RESPONSE AND A PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME. APPLICANTS THANK THE EXAMINER FOR THIS OPPORTUNITY TO CORRECT THE RESPONSE.

THE SUBSTITUTE RESPONSE FOLLOWS: